Sarah Ann Hampton Johnson collection S2498

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Summary Information

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Repository Rare Books and Manuscripts

Creator Johnson, Sarah Ann, 1835-1921

Title Sarah Ann Hampton Johnson collection

Date 1850-1852

Extent 0.01 Cubic feet 1 folder

Language English

Text [Folder] S2498

Preferred Citation

Sarah Ann Hampton Johnson collection, Rare Books and Manuscripts, Indiana State Library.

Biographical Note

Sarah Ann Hampton was born on January 6, 1835 to David D. and Jane (Moon) Hampton in Chester, Wayne County, Indiana. Her parents were members of the Quaker Church in Chester. Sarah was a student at the Friends' Boarding School from 1850-1852. Her classmates were from Indiana and Ohio. When Sarah Ann Hampton Johnson died, at the age of 86, on January 27, 1921, she was a widow. She died in Monrovia, Morgan County, Indiana.

Scope and Contents

This collection consists of photocopied pages from Sarah Ann's autograph book while she was a student at the Friends' Boarding School from 1850 to 1852. Each of the students who wrote in her book signed their name, town, and date of entry. Mary M. Henley wrote: "May each season of this changeful life come frought to thee with some new blessings richer than that which has gone by, and the tides of thy early sensations as they subside in the truths of experience give place to these enjoyments which wisdom and virtue alone can confer." Seth Brown wrote: "There is not in this life of ours one bliss unmixed with fears; the hope that wakes our deepest powers; a face of sadness wears; and the dew that showers over dearest flowers is the bitter dew of tears." Benjamin Morgan wrote: "May life be like a summer tide to you and others by your side. May every blessing be your lot, I ask of you forget me not."

Arrangement

This collection is arranged in the order of the xeroxed pages.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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Custodial History

This collection was received by Rare Books and Manuscripts as a donation.

Accruals

No further additions are expected.

Processing Information

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Controlled Access Headings

Genre(s)

Day books

Geographic Name(s)

• Morgan County (Ind.)

Subject(s)

• Quakers